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GENERAL SERVICES ADMINISTRATION.

FILE REPOSITORY 1232 S E*
ARLINGTON, DC 22202

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Re: Federal Agency Hazardous Waste Compliance Docket

Dear WILSON, GAIL ASS MGR:

Section 120 of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act (SARA) directed the Administrator of the EPA to establish a Federal Agency Hazardous Waste Compliance Docket. By April 1988 agencies must submit to EPA information required to complete a hazard ranking score (HRS) for of each facility on the docket. That information includes a Preliminary Assessment (PA) and a Site Inspection (SI). By April 1989 EPA must determine which facilities should be placed on the national priorities list (NPL). Once a facility is listed on the NPL, the agency must begin a remedial investigation and feasibility study within 6 months and must undertake "substantial continuous" remedial action within 15 months of the feasibility study's completion.

Although the Docket has not been published in the Federal Register, the deadline for submission of the hazard ranking information remains April 1988. Facilities which have submitted information to EPA under sections 3005, 3010, or 3016 of the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act, or section 103 of Superfund will be included in the docket. Your facility will be included on the Docket.

Enclosed is a copy of the EPA Potential Hazardous Waste Site PA form, the EPA SI form, and a user's manual for the Hazardous Waste Site Ranking System. The completed PA and SI forms should be returned to Region III by April 17, 1988. Department of Defense Installation Restoration Program reports may be submitted in lieu of, or in addition to the forms if the reports contain all the information EPA will require to complete the HRS.

Based on the findings of the PA, your agency may determine that no further actions are required. If this is the case, the PA report should be submitted to the EPA and to the State. EPA will review the report and concur or not concur with the determination. If EPA and the State agree that no further action is required, the information will be entered into the docket. If EPA does not agree, you will be notified that more information is needed for the HRS evaluation.

General questions regarding the Docket should be referred to :

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Questions related to the Preliminary Assessment and Site Inspection should be referred to:

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Thank you for your cooperation.

Sincerely,


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